

EMERGENCY SHELTER GRANT PROPOSED PROJECTS

Shelter Inc.

The women's day drop-in provides daytime support and services to homeless women. It is primarily a safe-haven to help this vulnerable population off the streets. Services include:

- Crisis intervention
- One-on-one counseling
- Weekly visits from Health Care for the Homeless
- Referrals for mental health, substance abuse, tertiary health care, job, training, legal services, and housing search

The FY2002 ESG funded operating costs including salaries for the program coordinator and specialist, food and training.

ESG	FY 2002	FY 2002	FY 2003	FY 2003
Project	Women's Day Drop-In	Shelter + Care	Women's Day Drop-In	Shelter + Care
Amount	\$28,000	\$20,000	\$28,000	\$20,000
Match	Fundraising	CASPAR	United Way	Fundraising
Match Amount			\$29,008	\$26,778

Shelter Inc.'s Shelter + Care program provides stabilization services to between 8 and 12 homeless people with disabilities. Furthermore it helps these individuals transition into their own homes and to successfully live on their own. The FY 2002 and '03 grants paid for part of the salary of the caseworker.

CASPAR

A 24-hour, warm, inviting shelter open to men and women in Cambridge who are ineligible for other shelter services because of their active substance abuse. The shelter has on-site primary health care four times a week. Due to increased demand, CASPAR has increased capacity by 50% in one year- now over 107 people use the shelter a day. The FY 2003 grant is for operating costs specifically food, maintenance, and utilities.

ESG	FY 2002	FY 2003
Project	Wet Shelter	Wet shelter
Amount	\$17,500	\$17,500
Match	MA DPH	MA DPH
Match Amount		\$43,867

Hildebrand

The Hildebrand provides emergency shelter for 34 families, 14 of whom are sheltered in Cambridge. The 24-hour shelter on Bishop Allen Drive is in need of extensive